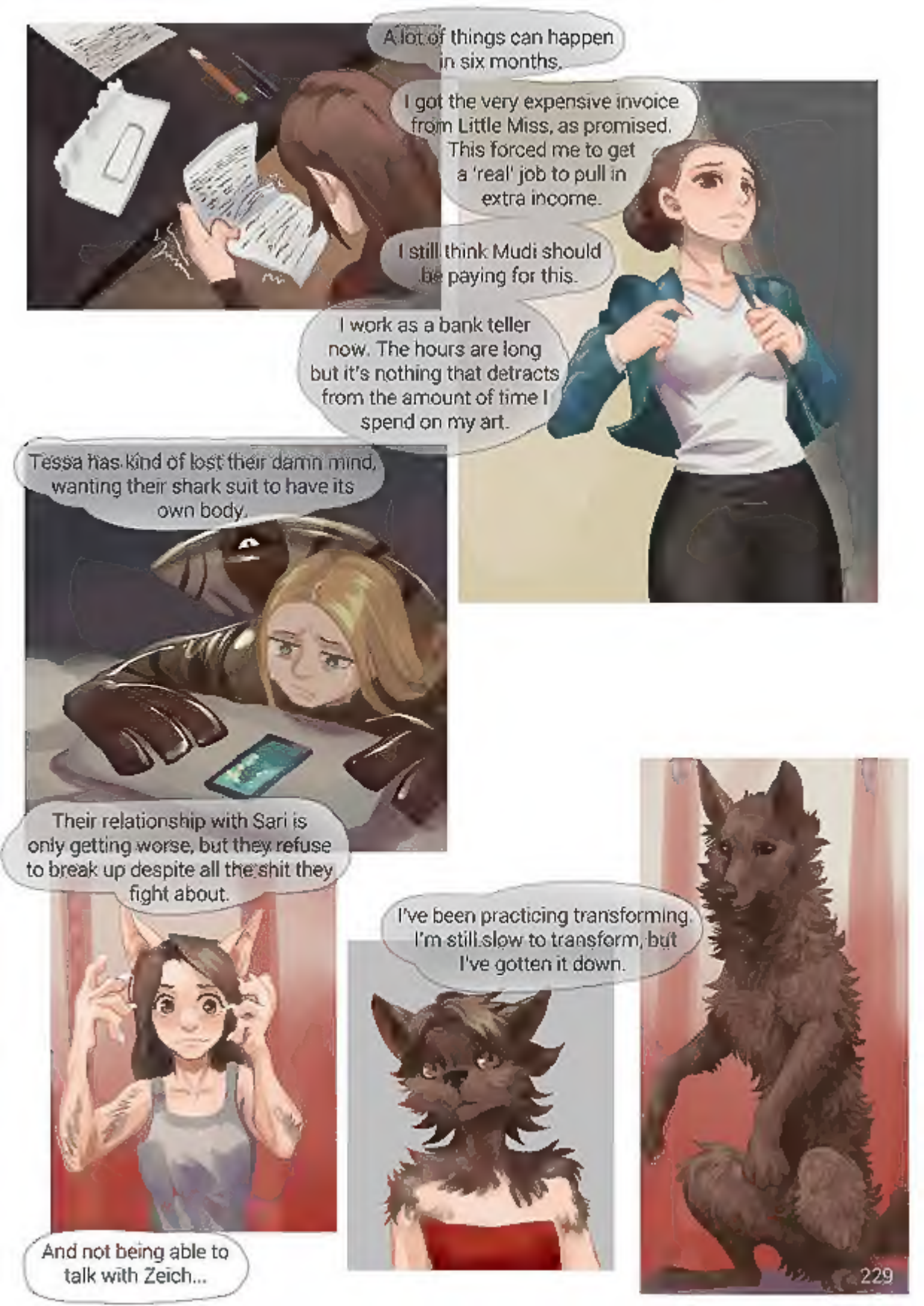
TURN YOU

EPILOGUE

It ended up being half a year away before I saw Zeich again.
Finally cleared by Mudi.
He's changed though. He seems less aloof, more alert, more defensive. Almost like a guard dog. It's pretty intimidating, but...
He needed the time to become his own person again instead of always having someone to lead him... since that was his fate for many years being a suit.


A lot of things can happen in six months.
I got the very expensive invoice from Little Miss, as promised. This forced me to get a 'real' job to pull in extra income.
I still think Mudi should be paying for this.
I work as a bank teller now. The hours are long but it's nothing that detracts from the amount of time I spend on my art.
Tessa has kind of lost their damn mind, wanting their shark suit to have its own body.
Their relationship with Sari is only getting worse, but they refuse to break up despite all the shit they fight about.
And not being able to talk with Zeich...
I've been practicing transforming. I'm still slow to transform, but I've gotten it down.

I let him out at night, where he runs about and does his own thing in our nearby forests.

I can't wear him anymore but he sure tries to keep me as close as possible

Zeich isn't really a secret; sometimes people see him, and he says it's a costume.

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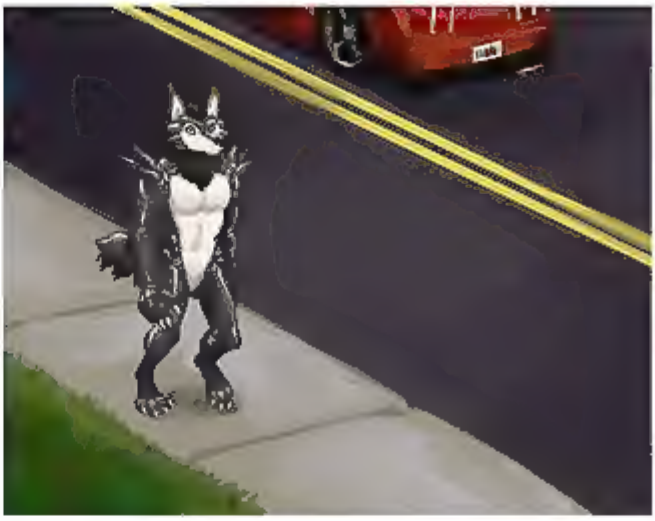
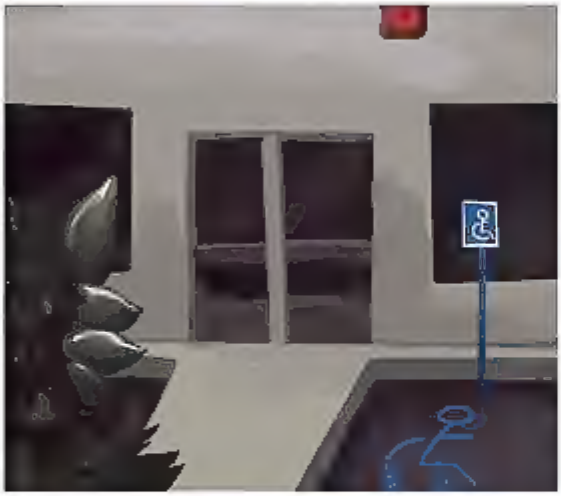
That being said, it's best for him to stay inside during the day.





Hi, how can I help you?

Ahem...
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Would love if you put up the money, darlin'.
Oh hell no.
You realise we only have so much money on hand.
But okay sir, I'll get that for you.
AHAHAHAHA
You really didn' have to scream.
Sigh.
Everyone on the ground!

Dennis is new. He's never been held up before. Now he's forcing us to break protocol in his panic. Great!
HEY!
And our security guard. He isn't very smart. I'm still wondering why they hired him.
You're not even holding it right, you git.
I don't think he's got the training he claims he does, even though he's certified.
I shouldn't be
EY, who said y'all could leave!
Dennis, chill dude-
What're ya guys doing?!

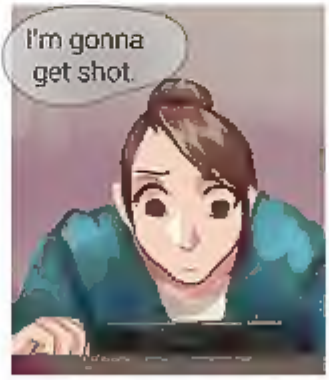
BANG

To be fair, if Dennis hadn't stupidly told us to get out, maybe Paul the security guard wouldn't have gotten shot.

You're trained to do what the robber says.

Is it weird that I'm not scared?

Like, I feel way too calm in this situation.



Don't do that, sweetie.
Ain't here to hurt you.
Oh my god...

Fuck this
Fuck this
Fuck this
Let go.
LET GO.
They said it'd die!

Ch-ch-
man
Let go of
me!

How did you get here so fast? And how did you know something was happening?
Are we safe?
That looks way too real.
What the hell?
Oh my god he's dead

Zeich, what?
Girl don't say shit like that. He's gonna make

Hey Zeich
Hi Carleen.
What?
Why didn't you tell me you could do that?
He totally wrecked your mask, dude. How re ya gonna fix that?
What? talk to him on my smoke breaks

I sit here most days waiting for you to come home, and I run back home and wait for you there. It's better than sitting at home all day.
People don't seem bothered by me. They stare and take photos. Apparently I am known on the internet.
You could have died

Oh my god, Pau
I was told to stop loitering, so I take walks around. People like to touch my skin...
Z et go. he s gone
Holy god what happened to your face?
Should we go home now?
We can't leave. You have bullets in you. Police w need that for evidence
And they're probably going to ask what the hell you are
Oh god, how are we going to explain you? Masks aren't allowed n banks
And your FACE

Okay. You're just an autistic dude in a suit. You haven't taken that suit off in 14 years.
You're gonna get a lot of questions. Just try and answer them the best you can, okay buddy?
Your suit... it somehow protects against bullets. But then they may want to know what it is for their own gear...
Fuckkkk...
Everything will be fine. You stopped a bank robber.
He just tore the fabric of your suit.
I should have eaten him.
No-noo.
That would be VERY bad.
Do you think Paul's gonna be okay?
This is all your fuckin' fault.

What da fuck.
Barsley, get a load o' this.
So uhh, what're you supposed ta be?
A suit.
Yeah, but what's da suit supposed ta be?
That's some scary costume shit.
A wolf. I like to be a wolf. This is who I am.
You know you're not allowed ta wear masks in banks right?
Y'know it looks real suspicious durin' a robbery.
...I can fix it at home.
It's okay! He's... severely autistic. He can't walk outside without wearing one of his silly suits.
But he's not a threat to anyone! He's just really weird.
So are you like, nude under there?
I am clothes.
I'm sorry, what?

Your bank has cameras, right?
Would be useful in getting a good shot of the suspect.

What do you mean? Did you not catch him?
He's apparently fled from scene.

Can I get both your names and IDs?
And are those bullet holes?
Or some weird animal nipples there?

SOMEWHERE
He was not supposed to kill anyone.
Plans change, but results are the same.
Subject has been successfully been infected with the therianthropy via wound.

Hopefully he does not have brain trauma from being thrown like that.
Excellent. We will begin testing as soon as he returns.
To be continued.

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